



U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR MUSEUM

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Wednesday, July 13
1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Rachel Carson Room
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THE INTERIOR MUSEUM PRESENTS

Freedom in the Capital *Contrabands of the Civil War*

*Before the Emancipation Proclamation, refugees from slavery came flooding into Washington, DC. Considered free and contrabands of war, they set up camps, looked for work, and joined the military. National Park Service Manager of the National Capital Region National Underground Railroad Network to Freedom **Jenny Masur** will discuss the life of refugees in Washington during the Civil War.*

The Interior Museum is currently closed for renovations.



2594 Colored Army Teamsters, Cobb Hill, Va.

Army Teamsters in Cobb Hill, Virginia, 1864.

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